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SUBJECT: PRESS REACTION TO TERRORIST INCIDENT IN KUALA LUMPUR.

TERRORIST INCIDENT IN KUALA LUMPUR PROVIDED BASIS FOR STRONG EDITORIAL CONDEMNATION FROM INFLUENTIAL NATIONAL DAILY QUOTE THE AUSTRALIAN END QUOTE WEDNESDAY. TITLED QUOTE HOSTAGES TO BRUTAL LUNACY END QUOTE, EDIT BROUGHT HOME IMPACT OF WORLD-WIDE TERRORISM BY CITING THE MALAYSIAN INCIDENT WAS THE FIRST TIME AUSTRALIANS WERE QUOTE HELD HOSTAGE AND THEIR LIVES HELD TO RANSOM IN A COUNTRY WHICH IS CLOSE NEIGHBOR AND WITH WHICH WE HAVE CLOSE TIES. TERRORISM, WE ARE REMINDED, IS NOT REPEAT NOT JUST SOMETHING HORRIBLE WHICH HAPPENS IN REMOTE MIDDLE EAST OR LATIN AMERICAN COUNTRIES. THIS TIME, AUSTRALIA HAS A VERY REAL STAKE IN HOW THE RESPONSIBLE AUTHORITIES -- MAINLY THE JAPANESE GOVERNMENT -- REACT TO THE RADICALS'S DEMANDS END QUOTE. QUOTE THERE WILL BE NO REPEAT NO REDUCTION IN TERRORISM UNTIL WORLD LEADERS MAKE A CONCERTED EFFORT TO INSTALL A NEW SENSE OF RESPONSIBILITY INTO THIRD WORLD COUNTRIES WHICH SPAWN AND PROTECT TERRORISTS. THE U.S. PRESIDENT AND HIS SECRETARY OF STATE ARE DOING THIS NOW IN RELATION TO VOTING IN THE UNITED NATIONS -- AND THEY ARE WARNING OF ADVERSE CONSEQUENCES IF THEY ARE NOT REPEAT NOT HEEDDED. THEIR EFFORTS SHOULD BE WIDENED TO INCLUDE THE HARBORING AND ENCOURAGEMENT OF TERRORISTS END QUOTE. END USINFO.

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